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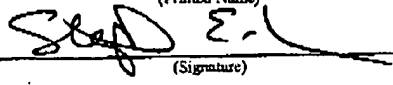
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| Independent<br>Claims:                                 | 12                      | - | 6                      | = | 6                          | x | \$86.00  | = | \$516.00                 |
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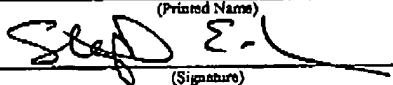
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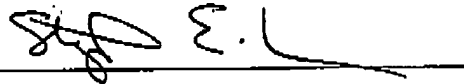
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